

# This Week's Sprayberry Band of Gold

February 19 – March 4, 2007

## Announcements:

### All Parents and Students:

Please remember that next weekend (February 23 and 24) we will be holding our annual Winter Workshop. This is an important series of rehearsals where the students work exclusively on the music we will be performing at festival. We will be bringing in many guest clinicians to offer assistance to our students, both in small group and large group settings.

It is VERY important that your student(s) be in attendance at all of the rehearsals. Even 1 person missing can negatively affect the entire group. The basic rehearsal schedule is as follows:

Friday Night - 6:00 - 9:00 PM (Except Sym II which will rehearse during the day on Friday)

Saturday - 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

We will divide the day into various rehearsals which will be designed to improve the overall abilities of the students.

Lunch will be served on Saturday, but your student will need to eat breakfast before coming on Saturday and dinner before coming on Friday night.

Again, it is very important that your student be in attendance. This one weekend will be the equivalent of 2 weeks of rehearsal under our normal schedule. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Andy Esserwein at [andy.esserwein@cobbk12.org](mailto:andy.esserwein@cobbk12.org).

Thank you very much!

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Congratulations to the following students who made District 12 HONOR BAND.

Rochelle Tenny  
Beryl Fulmer  
Erica Kennon  
Carol Coddington  
Megan Popham  
Eric Fry  
Jackson Harpe  
Rose Bishop  
Matt Brundage  
Corynn Gibson  
Jessica Wolle  
Holly Harz  
Caitlin Fulmer  
Russ Huffman  
Michael Blanton  
Amanda Blanton  
Emily Blackwell  
Daniel Estes

Also congratulations to Emily Blackwell and Caitlin Fulmer who also made Allstate Band.

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## Winter Workshop Hospitality Needed

Hello Again from Hospitality!

We need to be hospitable again to our students and visiting instructors and directors for the Winter Workshop. This is what we do best! We'll be serving the instructors and directors breakfast and lunch and our band students lunch. We plan to serve the sub-sandwich lunch that we fed them during bandcamp.

If you can help set up, serve or clean up, we would really appreciate hearing from you soon so we can plan accordingly. This is for Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Vicki Matthews at [Hospitality@SprayberryBand.com](mailto:Hospitality@SprayberryBand.com) if you can help!

The meals, instructors and directors are paid for by your Concert Band Fee, which includes all the Winter Workshop and Festival expenses. If you have not paid your Concert Band Fee, please contact [Accounting@SprayberryBand.com](mailto:Accounting@SprayberryBand.com) ASAP.



Sunday Apr 1 at 1:00 verses Maryland  
Tuesday Apr 3 at 7:00 verses Wofford

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## Calendar:

### MONDAY, 2/19/2007

➤ No Events

Student Holiday

### TUESDAY, 2/20/2007

➤ No Events

Student Holiday

### WEDNESDAY, 2/21/2007

➤ 5:30-6:30

➤ 3:35 – 5:00

Fundraising Pick-up and Collection Day

Sym II Full Rehearsal

Festivo and Ammerland Full recording due 2/21 either standard cassette or CD. No other formats will be accepted. Please no small cassettes even if player is provided.

### THURSDAY, 2/22/2007

➤ 3:45 – 5:00

➤ 5:00 – 6:15

Sym I Woodwinds Practice

Sym I Brass Practice

### FRIDAY, 2/23/2007

➤ 6pm-9pm

Winter Workshop ALL BANDS

Sym II - Practice Card is NOT due today, 2/23/07 change Practice Card #3 Due in class

Winter Workshop during the day. Sym II will NOT rehearse at 6:00 pm, rehearsal will take place during the day. 3rd and 4th period.

### SATURDAY, 2/24/2007

➤ 9pm-5pm

Winter Workshop ALL BANDS

### SUNDAY, 2/25/2007

➤ No Events

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## *Looking at the following Week*

MONDAY, 2/26/2006

- 5:30-6:30
- 3:45 – 5:00
- 5:00 – 6:15
- 3:45 – 5:45

**Fundraising Pick-up & Collection Day B/A Building**  
**Concert Woodwinds**  
**Concert Percussion**  
**Sym II Percussion**

**TUESDAY, 2/27/2007**

- 3:45 – 4:45
- 4:45 – 5:45
- 7:00

**Sym II Brass**  
**Sym II Woodwinds**  
**General Meeting of SBPA**

**WEDNESDAY, 2/28/2007**

- No Events

**THURSDAY, 3/1/2007**

- 3:45 – 5:00
- 5:00 – 6:15

**Sym I Woodwinds**  
**Sym I Percussion**

**FRIDAY, 3/2/2007**

- No Events

**SATURDAY, 3/3/2007**

- No Events

**SUNDAY, 3/4/2006**

- No Events

## ***Upcoming Important Dates!***

SUMMER Tentative dates for [Marching Band Season 2007](#)

May 29, 30, 31 (Headstart Camp - Probably 9am-4pm)

July 23-27 (Majority of Day - Times TBA)

July 30 - August 3 (All Day - Specific Times TBA)

August 6, 7, 9 (Evening Rehearsals)

- **March 10**

**Mini Lock-In and Movie Night – Sprayberry Band Room/Theater**

**If you have any questions about Band, please let me know!**

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